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TOM TARY and ADIS GOLIC :  
Serial No. 10/729,413 :  
Filed: December 5, 2003 :  
Title: MODULAR MUFFLER WITH :  
REMOVABLE CARTRIDGE ASSEMBLY :  
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ENGLISH LANGUAGE DOCUMENTS

United States Patent  
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Great Britain	751,619
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Respectfully submitted,

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